

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached replacement sheet 24/45 of drawings includes changes to Figure 52. The replacement sheet, which includes Figures 49 to 52, replaces the original sheet including Figures 49 to 52.

In Figure 52 changes entered by hand in a Preliminary Amendment have been formalized.

Attachment:

Replacement sheet
Annotated sheet showing changes

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In the Office Action, the Examiner indicated that claims 13 and 14 were objected to but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. As will be apparent from the preceding listing of claims, former claims 13 and 14 are now independent claims that include all of the limitations of the base claim from which they depended. It is therefore believed that re-written independent claims 13 and 14 are allowable.

Claims 15 and 16 correspond to former claims 15 and 16, with amendments to depend from allowable claim 13. New claim 56 corresponds to former claim 12 with an amendment to depend from allowable claim 13. Finally, new claims 57 to 59 are identical to claims 15, 16, and 56, except they depend from claim 14. By virtue of their dependency from allowable claims 13 and 14, it is believed that claims 15, 16, and 56 to 59 are also allowable.

The Applicant notes that the claims appearing in the preceding listing of claims were considered by the Examiner and indicated to be allowable during a telephone interview with the undersigned on November 7, 2007. The Applicant would like to thank Examiner Duong for his time and cooperation to further the prosecution of this application.

Although no objection was made thereto in the Office Action, a replacement sheet 24/45 of the drawings is provided. As noted above, the replacement sheet incorporates changes to Figure 52 to formalize hand-drawn amendments submitted in a Preliminary Amendment.

The Applicant respectfully submits that this application is now in condition for allowance, and early action to this end is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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